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HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION

RIVERSIDE, CA – On July 18, 2015, at approximately 1:52 am, Riverside Police Officers responded to the 3500 block of Main Street reference a large fight in the middle of the street. Once patrol officers arrived, they located a black male adult who was suffering from a gunshot wound. Members of the Riverside Fire Department, along with Emergency Medical Technicians, provided immediate medical aid to the victim. The victim was transported to the Riverside Community Hospital where he succumbed to his injuries.

Detectives from the Robbery – Homicide Unit, Gang Intelligence Unit and Evidence Technicians from the Forensic Unit responded to investigate. Detectives are being assisted by the Riverside County District Attorney's Office and the Riverside Sheriff – Coroner. The victim's identity is pending a Coroner's investigation.

The Riverside Police Department is asking for the public's help and anyone with information is asked to call Detective Mike Medici at 951-353-7104 or Detective Jim Brandt at 951-353-7137.

